Apple and Pear Stabilization

**No. 106 of 1972**

An Act to amend section 11 of the *Apple and Pear Stabilization Act* 1971.

[*Assented to 31 October 1972*]

BE it enacted by the Queen’s Most Excellent Majesty, the Senate, and the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Australia, as follows:—

**Short title and citation.**

**1**.—(1.) This Act may be cited as the *Apple and Pear Stabilization Act* 1972.

(2.) The *Apple and Pear Stabilization Act* 1971, as amended by this Act, may be cited as the *Apple and Pear Stabilization Act* 1971–1972.

**Commencement.**

**2.** This Act shall come into operation on the day on which it receives the Royal Assent.

**Rate of stabilization payment.**

**3.** Section 11 of the *Apple and Pear Stabilization Act* 1971 is amended—

(*a*)by inserting in sub-section (2.), after the word “payment”, the words “, not being a stabilization payment in respect of fruit picked during the season referred to in the next succeeding sub-section,”; and

(*b*)by inserting after that sub-section the following sub-section:—

“(2a.) The rate of a stabilization payment in respect of fruit picked during the season that commenced on the first day of October, One thousand nine hundred and seventy-one, shall not exceed an amount per reputed bushel, or part of a reputed bushel, in each container of fruit equal to—

(*a*)Eighty cents; or

(*b*)a number of cents equal to the product of 80 and 4,900,000 divided by a number equal to the number of reputed bushels of fruit picked during that season that—

(i) is exported on consignment during that season; and

(ii) is sold after exportation and before the end of that season,

whichever is the lesser amount.”.